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Dear Mr Vidgen

I write to you in relation to the Fraser Coast Regional Council's (the council), Division 7, out of quota matter.

I have received a letter from Mr Ken Diehm, Chief Executive Officer of the council who has reviewed the enrolment figures provided by the Electoral Commission of Queensland as of 31 January 2023 and, based on this information, has provided notice that Division 7 of the council is out of quota, as defined in section 15 of the *Local Government Act 2009*.

Please find enclosed the application letter from the council dated 27 February 2023.

I have decided to refer this out of quota change matter to the Local Government Change Commission to conduct an assessment and provide recommendations about whether to approve this application.

I have asked for [REDACTED], Principal Program Officer, Local Government Division, in the Department of State Development, Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning to assist you with any further queries. You may wish to contact [REDACTED] or by email at [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely

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Dear Minister

RE: 2024 Local Government Elections – Divisional Enrolment Review

In accordance with Council's requirements under section 16 of the *Local Government Act 2009*, I am writing to advise that Council considered the divisional enrolment data provided by the Electoral Commission Queensland at the Ordinary Council Meeting held 22 February 2023.

Council recommends a review of the divisional boundaries be undertaken as Fraser Coast Regional Council Division 7 exceeds the quota requirements as specified in section 15 of the *Local Government Act 2009*.

If you have any further questions, please contact Council's Manager Governance, [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely



Ken Diehm
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Date: 27 / 2 / 2023

Enc: Electoral Commission Queensland enrolment and quota report

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